GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:238
ANSWERED ON:10.03.2000
HOUSES FOR WEAVERS
HARIBHAU MAHALE

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have sanctioned funds for construction of houses for the weavers in the country during 1997-98;

(b) if so, the details thereof , State-wise;

(c) whether these funds have been fully utilised ;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor and the remedial steps taken in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI KASHIRAM RANA)

(a) to (e) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 238 RAISED BY SHRI HAR SHANKAR MAHALE TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.03.2000.

(a) Yes , Sir.

(b) to (e) The State-wise details of funds sanctioned and released by the Government of Indiaand its utilisation by State Governments are placed at Annexure .

A major portion of the funds released has been utilised. However in-certain cases funds were sanctioned only towards the end of financial year 1997-98 . In some cases there were also delays at the level of State Governments in transferringfunds to their implementing agencies. For these reasons funds have not been completely utilised in some States.

The Central Government has been reviewing and monitoring the Scheme at regular intervals for appropriate remedial measures and to impress upon the State Governments for speedy implementation and proper utilisation of allocated funds.

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 238 TO ANSWERED ON 10.03.2000 BY SHRI HARIBHAU SHANKAR MAHALE.

(Amount Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl.No.	Name of the State	Amount sanctioned in 1997-98.+	Amount released in 1997-98.+ as per Utilisation Certificate submitted.	Amount utilised by State Govt.
1.	Andhra Pradesh	274.16	146.54	146.54
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	100.62	50.31	50.31

3. Assam	79.18	39.59	39.59
4. Karnataka	107.40	53.70	-
5. Madhya Pradesh	200.00	200.00	-
6. Maharashtra	56.78	28.39	28.39
7 Nagaland	704.50	352.25	352.25
8. Orissa	142.36	90.36	-
9. Rajasthan	241.00	120.50	114.01
10. Tamil Nadu	220.12	110.06	110.06
11. Tripura	28.10	14.05	-
12. West Bengal	192.50	96.25	96.25
TOTAL	2346.72	1302.00	937.40

+ Usually 50% of the total amount sanctioned in a year is released as first instalment in a same year. The remaining 50% is released as second instalment, after the utilisation of funds released earlier is certified by the State Governments through a Utilisation Certificate.